

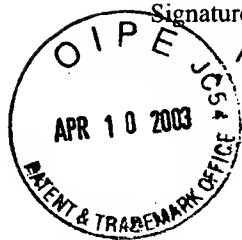
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INVENTOR(S): Sam E.J. Chan

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GROUP ART UNIT: 2875

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EXAMINER: Ward, John A

SUBJECT: Computer keyboard Backlighting

PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, a one (1) month extension of the time for filing the Response to the Office Action Mailed December 4, 2002.

A check for \$55.00 for the extension fee (small entity) is enclosed, under 37 C.F.R.

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